

Introduction to Injury Prevention

Course Description

This 3-½ day course introduces participants to injuries as a public health problem in Indian Country. It addresses the principles of effective injury prevention through a combination of presentations, case histories, and group exercises. The following core injury prevention program topics are explored:

- The Public Health Approach
- Injury Data
- Program Design & Implementation
- Program Evaluation
- Coalitions & Collaborations
- Program Management
- Marketing & Advocacy

Course Objectives

Upon completion of the course, participants will be able to:

- Network more effectively with injury prevention practitioners in Indian Country
- Understand the public health impact of injuries in Tribal communities.

- Use data to identify injury patterns and contributing factors in order to target comprehensive intervention strategies.
- Plan injury prevention interventions based on effective, public health strategies.
- Describe the benefits of community-based injury prevention coalitions and collaborations.
- Describe the stages of evaluation.
- Present injury prevention proposals to a community audience.

Date & Location

The course will be held at the California Rural Indian Health Board corporate office in Sacramento, CA, Nov 6 – 9, 2006.

Registration

The course enrollment is limited to 30 participants. There is no tuition charge for this course. Limited funds are available to reimburse Health Programs for participant expenses.

Who should attend? The target audience for this course is health program providers, community members, tribal employees, and other persons that work with Indian people to prevent injuries including:

- ✚ tribal health board members
- ✚ tribal health directors
- ✚ tribal council members
- ✚ law enforcement
- ✚ EMS personnel
- ✚ CHRs
- ✚ health program personnel
- ✚ medical providers
- ✚ State/Federal health employees
- ✚ grant reviewers for Indian programs

How do I register?

Complete the registration form on the back of this brochure and submit it to:

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Please Register no later than
October 27, 2006.

Registration Form

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**November 6-9, 2006
Sacramento, CA**

Please Submit by October 27, 2006

(Name)

(Title)

(Program)

(Street Address)

(City, State, Zip Code)


(Phone Number)

(Fax Number)

(Email Address)



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November 6-9, 2006

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